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1. ON JUNE 7, A BRITISH EMBASSY OFFICIAL TOLD AN EMBASSY OFFICER THAT HIS GOVERNMENT HAD DECIDED NOT TO MAKE A CONTRIBUTION TO THE UNFDAC ADDICT TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION PROGRAM IN AFGHANIS-

TAN'S BADAKHSHAN PROVICE (REF A). HE GAVE AS A REASON HIS GOVERNMENT'S RELUCTANCE TO BECOME INVOLVED IN SUCH PROJECTS WITHOUT AN ADEQUATE PRELIMINARY SURVEY -- WHICH, IN THIS CASE, WAS NOT AVAILABLE. (THE BRITISH HAD BEENCONSIDERING A TOTAL CONTRIBUTION OF ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING FOR THIS PROJECT -- WHICH, ACCORDING TO REF B, IS NOW BEING WEIGHED BY THE DANES.)

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2. THE BRITISH ARE NOW CONSIDERING THE POSSI-BILITY OF FUNDING A FIFTY-THOUSAND POUND SURVEY OF NARCOTICS PROBLEMS IN AFGHANISTAN -- WHICH WOULD BE PERFORMED BY A U.K. FIRM. THEIRHNMBASSY PLANS TO DISCUSS THIS IDEA SHORTLY WITH LOCAL UN REPRESENTATIVES AND AFGHAN OFFICIALS BEFORE MAKING ANY RECOMMENDATION TO LONDON.

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